



April 4, 2003

ENGROSSED HOUSE BILL No. 1647

DIGEST OF HB 1647 (Updated April 2, 2003 5:56 PM - DI 87)

Citations Affected: IC 22-13.

Synopsis: Interpretation of building laws. Allows the state building commissioner to issue a written interpretation of a building law whether or not the building law is enforced by the county or municipality.

Effective: July 1, 2003.

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(SENATE SPONSORS — CLARK, CRAYCRAFT, ZAKAS)

January 16, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Appointments and Claims.
February 13, 2003, reported — Do Pass.
February 17, 2003, read second time, ordered engrossed. Engrossed.
February 18, 2003, read third time, passed. Yeas 90, nays 3.

SENATE ACTION

February 24, 2003, read first time and referred to Committee on Governmental Affairs and Interstate Cooperation.
April 3, 2003, reported favorably — Do Pass.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2002 Regular or Special Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning labor and industrial safety.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 22-13-5-2, AS ADDED BY P.L.71-1999,
2 SECTION 1, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2003]: Sec. 2. **(a)** Upon the written request of an interested
4 person, the office of the state building commissioner may issue a
5 written interpretation of a building law. An interpretation issued by the
6 office of the state building commissioner must be consistent with
7 building laws enacted by the general assembly or adopted by the
8 commission.
9 **(b) The office of the state building commissioner may issue a**
10 **written interpretation of a building law under subsection (a)**
11 **whether or not the county or municipality has taken any action to**
12 **enforce the building law.**

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Appointments and Claims, to which was referred House Bill 1647, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

HARRIS, Chair

Committee Vote: yeas 9, nays 0.

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SENATE MOTION

Mr. President: I move that Senator Zakas be added as cosponsor of Engrossed House Bill 1647.

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COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. President: The Senate Committee on Governmental Affairs and Interstate Cooperation, to which was referred House Bill No. 1647, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill DO PASS.

(Reference is made to House Bill 1647 as printed February 14, 2003.)

RIEGSECKER, Chairperson

Committee Vote: Yeas 7, Nays 0.

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